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Comstock Mill Historical Survey Site Packet

Mill # 143 Mill Name: Coover and Stevenson Mill (AKA PIDNEER)

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1.0 HISTORICAL DOCUMENTATION OF MILL

1.1 HISTORICAL SUMMARY OF COOVER AND STEVENSON MILL

The Coover and Stevenson Mill, likely the same mill as the Stevenson Mill (#145) and also known as the Coover and Stephenson Mill, Coover and Harris Mill, the Pioneer Mill, and Stevenson's Mill, was located in lower Gold Hill along Main Street below the Belcher dump (Ansari 1989:48; Gold Hill Daily News 1863:3; Science Applications International Company [SAIC] 1993:80; Shinn 1980: 82). The mill began operations on August 31, 1860, and was one of the first steam-powered mills along the Comstock. The owners attempted to open the first mill in the district, but they ordered their machinery too late (on June 21, 1860 [Lord 1959:86]) and started operations three hours after Almarin B. Paul's Mill (Ansari 1989:48; Gold Hill Daily News 1863:3; Historic American Engineering Record [HAER] 1980). Charles S. Coover and Dr. E.B. Harris from Amador County, California were the original owners, hence the alternative name of Coover & Harris Mill. The mill had one eight-stamp Howland rotary battery, a 15 horsepower steam engine and nine Knox pans with steam chambers (HAER 1980). This mill had a daily capacity of six tons (Ansari 1989:48). This mill was one of the first mills to use the Washoe process (Oberbillig 1967:15), though it originally used dry crushing and then used Paul's Concentrators and Knox pans (De Quille 1889:72). The mill processed tailings from the Rice & Company claim, located in Gold Hill by James Finney (Lord 1959:86) as well as both Bowers and Plato mine ore (Ansari 1989:48). The mill originally worked gold quartz (De Quille 1889:72). A survey map from 1861 shows the Coover and Harris Mill (Figure 1).

In 1862, the mill employed five men to oversee the Paul's Concentrator and Knox pans (Kelly 1862:170). In 1863, a 12 horsepower engine powered the eight stamps and nine pans (*Gold Hill Daily News* 1863:3). Charles S. Coover served as superintendent of the mill (HAER 1980). In 1865, the mill had a 12 horsepower steam engine that used 2½ cords of wood per day, 8 stamps, 12 pans, and had a daily capacity of six tons. The mill employed six men (Ansari 1989:48). In 1866, the mill had a capacity of 10 tons per day (Ansari 1989:48). In 1869, the mill had 12 amalgamating pans and one battery. The last title document to mention the mill was dated to October 21, 1869 (SAIC 1993:80). It appears that the mill may have had up to 12 stamps at some point during its period of operation (Oberbillig 1967:15). The mill was eventually dismantled when the city widened Main Street and the machinery was moved to eastern Nevada (Ansari 1989:48).

A Historic American Engineering Record report was performed in June 1980 at this site (HAER 1980).

2.8 Coover and Stevenson Mill

The Coover and Stevenson Mill was also known as the Coover and Harris Mill, the Pioneer Mill, and Stevenson's Mill (A-1;A008125) (A-2;A008010) (B-14;A008573). According to Eliot Lord, it was the second mill in the Territory to begin operations, in August 1860 (A-7;A008067). Hochholzer's 1865 map placed Stevenson's Mill between the Gold Hill Mill and Rhode Island Mill, on Lot 31, Block 5, Range C (Lot 31) (B-12;A002002). This corresponds to current Tax Assessor Parcel No. 02-071-14 (Map 3.1).

A survey for Charles S. Coover and E. B. Harris dated May 10, 1861 placed the Coover and Harris Mill on a 1.14-acre parcel (Map 8). On June 17, 1861, Robert Jones and Jane Jones conveyed a lot with a 120-foot frontage on Main Street, between the Gossage lot on the north and a lot on the south occupied by Charles Coover and E. B. Harris, to Charles Coover and E. B. Harris (copy not requested). On October 3, 1861, E. B. Harris conveyed an undivided one-third interest in the Coover and Harris Mill and lot as surveyed, measuring 200 feet by 200 feet, to C. S. Coover (J-1). The mill was described as having nine Knox amalgamating pans and one Howland Battery (J-1). Chas. S. Coover quitclaimed a one-half interest in the Coover and Harris Mill, again described as having nine Knox amalgamating pans and one Howland Battery, and associated lot to C. C. Stevenson on March 7, 1863 (J-2).

In 1863, Kelly's Second Directory reported that the Coover and Stevenson Mill was situated in Gold Cañon in the town of Gold Hill. The mill had 8 stamps and 9 amalgamating pans (A-1;A008125).

Collins' 1864 Directory stated that the Pioneer Mill was erected in 1860, that it had 8 stamps and 9 amalgamating pans, and that Coover and Stephenson [sic] were the proprietors (A-2;A008010).

Charles S. Coover and C. C. Stevenson mortgaged the Coover and Harris Quartz Mill to John Arnold and William Blauvelt on January 22, 1864 (copy not requested). On March 12, 1864, Charles S. Coover mortgaged the mill to John W. Gashwiler (copy not requested).

The June 27, 1865 edition of the *Gold Hill News* noted that Stevenson's Mill was owned by C. C. Stevenson and situated in the lower part of Gold Hill, next below the Gold Hill Mill. It reportedly had 8 stamps, 12 amalgamating pans and worked 6 tons of ore per day (B-14;A008573).

On May 1, 1865, Charles C. Stevenson conveyed a one-half interest in the Coover and Stevenson Mill to William Sharon (J-3).

The 1866 State Mineralogist Report described a Stevenson's Mill as having 8 stamps, 10 pans and a crushing capacity of 10 tons per day (A-3;A008519).

On October 21, 1869, William Sharon quitclaimed a one-half interest in the Coover and Stevenson Mill and lot to Charles C. Stevenson (J-4). This document describes the mill as including 12 amalgamating pans and one battery.

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Subsequent title documents for the property associated with the Coover and Stevenson Mill did not mention a mill. The February 3, 1877 edition of the Mining and Scientific Press stated that the Coover Mill in Gold Hill was built by Charles S. Goover and Dr. E. B. Harris, that it commenced operations in August of 1860, and that it was torn down when Main Street was widened and the machinery removed to eastern Nevada (A-9;A005091).

C. C. Stevenson quitclaimed his interest in the south 166 feet of Lot 31 to James Boysen on May 6, 1871 (J-5). The United States granted Charles C. Stevenson a patent for Lot 31 on May 5, 1875 (J-6).

Lot 31 was conveyed in portions to private individuals from this point until March 25, 1922, when Joseph Gillett conveyed an unspecified portion of Lot 31 to The United Comstock Mines Company (J-7 through J-20). The source of Joseph Gillett's interest was not determined. On November 19, 1924, The United Comstock Mines Company conveyed the easterly portion of the north 100 feet of Lot 31, and a right-of-way across the westerly portion, to Comstock Merger Mines, Inc. (J-22). Comstock Merger Mines, Inc. conveyed all of its lots in the town of Gold Hill to Sutro Tunnel Coalition, Inc. on June 9, 1928 (J-23). Sutro Tunnel Coalition, Inc. conveyed the east half of the north 100 feet of Lot 31 to M. A. Holcombe on October 1, 1934 (J-24). With the exception of an interest held by the John G. West Trust from 1957 to 1962 (J-31 through J-37), Lot 31 was again conveyed between private individuals through the present time.

A survey performed for Ulan Pinkston and filed August 7, 1981 showed the "Jane Abbey Parcel," described as a portion of Lots 31 and 32 (Map 9).

CURRENT ASSESSED OWNER

Parcel No.

02-071-14
Lot 31

Owner

FX-6 Personal Privacy

The title abstract and title tree for the Coover and Stevenson Millsite follow. The title documents are contained in Attachment IX.

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| 05-10-1861 | Survey | United States of America under Preemption Act, L.H. Marsette, County Surveyor | Charles S. Coover E.B. Harris | 1.14 acres and Coover & Harris quartz mill (plat shows location of mill) | 05-21-1861 | Storey CCR Surveys | 046 | Map No. |
| 06-17-1861 | Deed | Robert Jones Jane Jones | Charles Coover E.B. Harris | Lot with 120-foot frontage on Main between Gossage lot (north) and lot on south occupied by Charles Coover and E.B. Harris | 09-11-1861 | CCR Deeds Vol. 1 | 267-268 | Copy not requested |
| 10-03-1861 | Deed | E.B. Harris | C.S. Coover | 1/3 interest in Coover & Harris Mill (Steam Quartz Mill) and lot as surveyed, measuring 200 x 200 feet, (includes 9 Knox pans for amalgamating and one Howland Battery); and other property of Coover & Harris | 05-19-1862 | Storey Deeds C | 211-212 | (J-1) |
| 03-07-1863 | Quitclaim Deed | Chas. S. Coover | C.C. Stevenson | 1/2 interest in Coover & Harris Mill and lot including one Howland Battery and 9 Knox pans (Lot measures 200 x 200 feet) | 03-10-1863 | Storey Deeds H | 584-585 | (J-2) |
| 01-22-1864 | Mortgage | Charles S. Coover C.C. Stevenson | John Arnold William Blauvelt | Coover & Harris Quartz Mill (reference to deed dated 10-03-1861, Deeds C, pages 211-212) | 01-22-1864 | Storey Mortgage C | 606 | Copy not requested |
| 03-12-1864 | Mortgage | Charles S. Coover | John W. Gashwiler | Mill (release at Mortg D/342) | 03-17-1864 | Storey Mortgage D | 051-053 | Copy not requested |
| 05-01-1865 | Deed | Charles C. Stevenson | William Sharon | 1/2 interest in Coover & Stevenson Mill and lot | 05-03-1865 | Book Y | 694 | (J-3) |

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| 10-21-1869 | Quitclaim Deed | William Sharon | Charles C. Stevenson | 1/2 interest in Coover & Stevenson Mill and lot (12 amalgamators, one battery) | 10-25-1869 | Storey Deeds 29 | 662 | (J-4) |
| 05-06-1871 | Quitclaim Deed | C.C. Stevenson | James Boysen | South 166 feet Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; South 166 ft of Lot 38, Block 2, Range B (No mill mentioned) | 05-13-1871 | Storey Deeds 30 | 594-595 | (J-5 ⁻) |
| 05-05-1875 | Patent | United States of America | Charles C. Stevenson | Lot 31, Block 5, Range C Lot 38, Block 2, Range B | 08-26-1875 | Storey Deeds 38 | 160-161 | (J-6) |
| 09-21-1875 | Quitclaim Deed | C.S. Coover | C.C. Stevenson | Lot 31, Block 5, Range C Lot 38, Block 2, Range B (No mill mentioned) | 09-27-1875 | Storey Deeds 38 | 214-215 | (J-7) |
| 09-24-1875 | Quitclaim Deed | C.C. Stevenson | John Randall | North 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; north 100 feet of Lot 38, Block 2, Range B | 09-27-1875 | Storey Deeds 38 | 215-216 | (J-8) |
| 09-25-1875 | Quitclaim Deed | Simon Ogg Mary Elizabeth Ogg | John Randall | 1/2 interest in north 100 feet Lot 31, Block 5, Range C 1/2 north 100 feet Lot 38, Block 2, Range B | 09-27-1875 | Storey Deeds 38 | 213-214 | (J-9) |
| 11-23-1878 | Declara- tion of Homestead | Mrs. Ellen M. Randall (a widow) | | North 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; north 100 feet of Lot 38, Block 2, Range B | 11-26-1878 | Storey Misc. I | 413-414 | (J-10) |
| 09-06-1879 | Quitclaim Deed | James Boysen | C.C. Stevenson | South 166 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; south 166 feet of Lot 38, Block 2, Range B | 09-18-1879 | Storey Deeds 44 | 358,-359 | (J-11) . |

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| 09-22-1879 | Quitclaim Deed | C.C. Stevenson | Trustees of Lincoln Hose Company of the Gold Hill Fire Department | Portion Lot 31, Block 5, Range C (50 x 30 feet) (No search forward; firehouse shown on 1891 Sanborn map) | 09-22-1879 | Storey Deeds 45 | 138-139 | (J-12) |
| 03-26-1888 | Deed | C.C. Stevenson | James Boysen | South 166 feet Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; south 166 feet Lot 38, Block 2, Range B | 03-28-1888 | Storey Deeds 49 | 368-369 | (J-13) ´ |
| 08-31-1897 | Deed | Ellen M. Randall | A.W. Lackey | Right-of-way through north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; and other property | 10-04-1897 | Storey Deeds 52 | 565-566 | (J-14) |
| 01-17-1898 | Certifi- cate of Sale | D.M. Ryan, County Treasurer | S.J. Pedroli | Part of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; improvements on Lot 38, Block 2, Range B (Sold at public auction for taxes unpaid by James Boysen) | 01-18-1898 | Storey Files | none | (J-15) |
| 07-29-1899 | Deed | Ellen M. Randall | A.W. Lackey | Easterly portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; right-of-way through westerly portion; and other property | 08-15-1899 | Storey Deeds 54 | 001-003 | (J-16) |
| 07-29-1899 | Deed | Ellen M. Randall | William Hall | Westerly portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C, and buildings consisting of Hall's blacksmith shop, paint shop and warehouse. | 08-17-1899 | Storey Deeds 54 | 005-008 | (J-17) |

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| 04-12-1913 | Deed | A.W. Lackey | Eunice Elna Lackey | Easterly portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; right-of-way through westerly portion; and other property | 04-12-1913 | Storey Deeds 57 | 297-298 | (J-18) |
| 06-02-1915 | Deed | A.W. Lackey Eunice Elna Lackey | Mrs. C. McTigue | Easterly portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; right-of-way through westerly portion; and other property | 04-29-1922 | Storey Deeds 59 | 263-264 | (J-19) |
| 03-25-1922 | QuitClaim Deed | Joseph Gillett | The United Comstock Mines Company (NV corp.) | Part of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C | 04-29-1922 | Story Deeds 59 | 262 | (J-20) |
| 07-06-1923 | Deed | Joseph S. Hawkins Mary Hawkins | M.A. Holcombe | West portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C together with Hall's blacksmith shop | 10-07-1935 | Storey Deeds 61 | 314 | (J-21) |
| 11-19-1924 | Deed | The United Comstock Mines Company (NV corp.) | Comstock Merger Mines, Inc. (DE corp.) | Easterly portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; right-of-way across westerly portion; as conveyed to Mrs. C. McTigue on Oct 14, 1920 at Book 59, pages 264-265; and other property | 12-01-1924 | Storey Deeds 60 | 095-109 | (J-22) |
| 06-09-1928 | Deed | Comstock Merger Mines, Inc. (DE corp.) | Sutro Tunnel Coalition, Inc. (NV corp.) | All town lots | 06-15-1928 | Storey Deeds 60 | 373-374 | (J-23) |
| 10-01-1934 | Deed | Sutro Tunnel Coalition, Inc. (NV corp.) | M.A. Holcombe | East 1/2 of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C | 10-07-1935 | Storey Deeds 61 | 315 | (J-24) |

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| 03-01-1944 | Declara- tion of Trust | M.A. Holcombe | A. Lyle Mewhir- ter, Trustee | "3 parcels" (one assumed to be north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C) | | Storey Misc. U | 215 | (J-25) |
| 03-01-1944 | Deed | M.A. Holcombe | A. Lyle Mewhir- ter, Trustee | North 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C | | Storey Deeds 62 | 281-282 | Copy not requested |
| 05-25-1944 | Deed | A. Lyle Mewhirter, Trustee | Frank Lazzeri | Portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C, and other property | 06-09-1944 | Storey Deeds 62 | 289 | (J-26) |
| 05-30-1944 | Deed | A. Lyle Mewhirter, Trustee | Humphrey Symons Eula Symons | Portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C | 05-31-1944 | Storey Deeds 62 | 283 | (J-27) |
| 10-17-1944 | Deed | Theodore Dirrim Grace E. Dirrim | Humphrey Symons Eula Symons | Portion of Lots 31, (south of north 100 feet) and 32, Block 5, Range C | 10-27-1944 | Storey Deeds 62 | 307-308 | (J-28) |
| 04-17-1952 | Decree of Final Settle- ment and Distri- bution | Estate of Humphrey Rundle Symons | Mrs. E.J. Wood (1/2 interest) Mrs. Hazel Ruth Moore (1/2 interest) | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C and part of Lots 31 and 32 Block 5, Range C | 05-24-1952 | Storey Misc. V | 197-199 | (J-29) |
| 06-1952 | Joint Tenancy Deed | Cecelia Rosamond Wood Hazel Ruth Moore | Fred Hess Louella Hess | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; part of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C; and other property | 07-15-1952 | Storey Deeds 63 | 254-255 | (J-30) |
| 07-29-1957 | Deed | Fred Hess Luella (known as Louella) Hess | John G. West Trust | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; part of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C; and other property | 07-29-1957 | Storey Deeds 64 | 135-136 | (J-31) |

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| 03-22-1960 | Amended Decree of Final Settle- ment and Distrib- ution | Estate of Humphrey Rundle Symons | Mrs. E.J. Wood Mrs. Hazel Ruth Moore | Part of north 100 of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; part of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C; and other property | 03-24-1960 | Storey Misc. W | 073-074 | (J-32) |
| 04-12-1960 | Quitclaim Deed | John G. West, Trust John G. West, Trustee | State of Nevada, Department of Highways | South 15 feet of Hess Property in Lot 32, Block 5, Range C | 04-12-1960 | Storey Deeds 64 | 388 | (J-33) |
| 04-12-1960 | Quitclaim Deed | John G. West, Trust John G. West, Trustee | Margaret P. Brush (widow) | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; parts of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 04-13-1960 | Storey Deeds 64 | 389 | ·(J-34) |
| 04-20-1960 | Quitclaim、 Deed | Cecelia Rosamond Wood, aka Mrs. E.J. Wood Hazel Ruth Moore | John G. West Trust | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; part of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 12-30-1960 | Storey Deeds 64 | 462-463 | (J-35) |
| 12-28-1960 | Deed | John G. West, Trust John G. West, Trustee | Margaret P. Brush (widow) | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; parts of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C; except south 15 feet of Hess property in Lot 32 deeded to State of Nevada | 12-30-1960 | Storey Deeds 64 | 463 | (J-36) |
| 07-06-1962 | Quitclaim Deed | John G. West, as Trustee of the John G. West, Trust | John G. West Marybilly Cline West | Part of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C, less parcel in Book 62 page 283 | 07-06-1962 | Storey Deeds 65 | 044-045 | (J-37) |
| 08-16-1962 | Deed | Margaret P. Brush (widow) | June C. Abbey (single woman) | Portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 10-05-1962 | Storey Deeds 65 | 071-072 | (J-38) |

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| 02-08-1968 | Record of Survey | Walter G. Reid, RLS235 | Ulan Pinkston | Portion Lots 31 and 32 (Jane Abbey Parcel) | 08-07-1981 | None | | Map No. 12 |
| 03-05-1968 | Deed | June C. Abbey (single woman) by Margaret Von Fluee, Attorney in fact | D.G. McBride (married man) Anne Lipscomb (married woman) Opal Petrini (unmarried woman) | Portion of north 100 feet of Lot 31, Block 5, Range C; portion of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C; except for south 15 feet deeded to | 03-07-1968 | Storey Deeds 66 | 026 | (J-39) |
| | | | Jack Richards (married man) | State of Nevada | | | | |
| 07-01-1971 | Deed | D.G. McBride Jeanne McBride William F. Lipscomb Anne Lipscomb Opal Petrini | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C (metes and bounds description) | 08-11-1971 | Storey Deeds 67 | 017 | (J-40) |
| | | (unmarried woman) Jack Richards Arline Richards | | | | | | |
| 07-01-1971 | Re- recorded Deed | D.G. & Jeanne McBride William F. & Anne Lipscomb Opal Petrini (unmarried woman) Jack & Arline Richards | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C (metes and bounds description), recorded to correct legal description | 03-01-1979 | Storey Off Rec 15 | 120-122 | (J-41) |
| 06∸08−1979 | Deed of Trust | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Nevada First Investment Corp. (Nevada First Thrift, Beneficiary) | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 06-18-1979 | Storey Off Rec 17 | 382-384 | (J-42) |
| 04-29-1983 | Memo of Lease with Option to Purchase | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Keith M. McNurney Sharon Lee Terpstra | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 05-02-1983 | Storey Off Rec 37 | 556-557 | (J-43) |

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| 12-01-1983 | Deed : | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Keith M. McNurney (unmarried man) | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 12-02-1983 | Storey Off Rec 41 | 001-002 | (J-44) |
| 12-01-1983 | Deed of Trust | Keith M. McNurney (unmarried man) | Charter Title, Trustee (Ulan P. Pinkston and Lavona G. Pinkston, Beneficiaries) | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 12-02-1983 | Storey Off Rec 41 | 003-012 | (J-45) |
| 07-02-1984 | Notice of Breach | Lacelaw Corp., dba Charter Title, to secure obligations in favor of: Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | | Upon delinquency and nonpayment by Keith McNurney, Charter Title elects to sell trust property, which is Portion Lots 31 and 32. Block 5, Range C | 07-10-1984 | Storey Off Rec 44 | 160 | (3-46) |
| 11-30-1984 | Trustee's Deed Upon Sale | Charter Title, Trustee for Keith M. McNurney | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 12-07-1984 | Storey Off Rec 46 | 379-380 | (J-47) |
| 08-07-1985 | Deed of Trust | FX-6 Personal Privacy | Northern Nevada Title Company, Trustee (Ulan P. Pinkston and Lavona G. Pinkston, Beneficiaries) | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C (Reconveyed at Book 83, Page 398 and Book 73, Page 381). | 08-16-1985 | Storey Off Rec 49 | 224-228 | (J-48) |
| 08-12-1985 | Deed | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | FX-6 Personal Privacy | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 08-16-1985 | Storey Off Rec 49 | 222-223 | (J-49) |
| 11-26-1985 | Deed of Recon- veyance | Nevada First Investment Corporation | Ulan P. Pinkston Lavona G. Pinkston | Satisfies Deed of Trust dated 06-08-1979, Off Rec. 17, pages 382-384 | 12-06-1985 | Storey Off Rec 50 | 564 | (J-50) |
| 11-03-1987 | Full Recon- veyance | Northern Nevada Title Company | FX-6 Personal Privacy | Satisfies Deed of Trust dated 08-07-1985, Off Rec. 49, pages 224-228 | 10-03-1989 | Storey Off Rec 73 | 381-382 | (J-51) |

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| 03-02-1988 | Deed Restric- tion | FX-6 Personal Privacy | | Restricts further division of portion of Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C, as shown on Record of Survey No. 49670 | 03-03-1988 | Storey Off Rec 62 | 568 | (J-52) |
| 09-29-1989 | Deed of Trust | FX-6 Personal Privacy | Valley Bank of Nevada, Trustee and Beneficiary | Portion Lots 31 and 32, Block 5, Range C | 10-13-1989 | Storey Off Rec 73 | 383-385 | (J~53) |
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are talking of putting out for Lemhi as soon as spring fairly opens.

ORECON.

From the Oregonian: We have a letter from Auburn which states that the new mines, 70 miles south of that place, are very extensive. Prospectors have struck a creek at a place where immigrants crossed it at an early day, and find considerable quantities of gold. One man took out \$600 in 13 days. It may be that this is one of the places . where the immigrants, who came by "Meek's cut-off," discovered the gold of which everybody has heard so often.

Elk Creek Dist , in the John Day country. is one of the richest quartz mining localities in Oregon. Some of the rock from that district shows \$270 per ton of gold.

The Umatilla Press says that the Lawrence Bros. have discovered a silver lode on their ranch on Butter Creek, in this county. Ore therefrom has been sent to Portland for assay.

The Jacksonville Sentinel says the tunneling in Gold Hill is still progressing, with good prospects of success. The ledge has been struck again, and the miners are running a shaft from the tunnel to the surfacea distance of 120 ft.

MONTANA.

From the Post of March 30th: Hendry's mill cleaned up on last Saturday, from an eight day's run on Whitlatch Union ore. with 18 stamps, 324 ozs. of retort, valued at

Prof. Charles Rumley assayed some ore from the Copperopolis lode, Muscleshell Dist, which yielded 411/2 per cent pure

copper.

Mr. Pfiel has organized a company in St. Joseph, Mo., with a capital of \$100,000 to put a mill on the Alameda lode, Mr. Isaacs, agent for a New York company, has also purchased two mills, one for the Summit Dist. and another to work on the Alameda. The St. Louis and Montana smelting works yesterday cupclled the largest silver brick which has yet been produced. It is circular in form, 28 in. in diameter, 11/2 in. thick, and weighs 120 ths. This splendid piece of silver is the product of 71/2 tons of ore from the Legal Tender lode. Notwithstanding the many adverse circumstances against which he had to contend, such as poor coal; the extreme cold, etc., Mr. Philip Deidesheimer has so altered and improved -the works that they may now be pronounced the Social and Steptoe Co. at Egan Cañon. Wells, Fargo & Co., in this city, there were a complete success.

Esmeralda.

From the Aurora Union of April 6th: Over three tons of bullion from the Cornucopia mine. Partzwick are lying in Wells, Fargo & Co's office, in this place, waiting for shipment. Over 150 lbs. of bullion from the Diana has been shipped within the past week and plenty more at the mine waiting transportation; also \$3,500 worth of bullion has been shipped from Aurora in the meantime.

Humboldt. From the Register of April 6th: M. Torrey is progressing finely with his mining operations. He has one large furnace, superior to anything of the kind in the State, nearly completed, and is getting everything else in good shape. His mines in Arabia are turning out to be all he could hope. He has ore now piled up on his dumps of the value of \$80,000 at the lowest estimate. Yesterday he commenced hauling this ore to his reduction works.

Reese River.

From the Reveille of April 6th: Yesterday there were brought into town from the Knickerbocker mill, near Ione, 1,156 ozs. of bullion.

In the Reville Dist, prospects are reported flattering. Several owners of mines are engaged in getting out ore for the Rutland mill. The Crescent, Mediterranean and Atlantic, of the Reveille company, are yielding abundantly of ore that would work from \$100 to \$150 per ton.

Same of 8th: The Hopkins tunnel, which is to the rich belt through Lander Hill what the Sutro tunnel is to the Comstock lode, is to be an extensive one. now in nearly 400 ft. It is the property of

the Revenue Extension Co.

As wonderful as is the general character of the ore yielded by the Highbridge, it appears to improve and increase in richness as depth is attained. We were shown this morning a very beautiful specimen of mineral from the shaft of the Combination Co., at the depth of 170 ft. The piece is purplish black, and of remarkable gravity, and masses of it have returned \$10,000 of silver per ton. As rich as the mineral is, it is the predominant one in the Silver Bend and the Empire stand-still, and prevent its rising to the

Same of 9th: Eleven bars of bullion were ore was made. brought into town to-day from the mill of the Twin River Co... Yesterday, 2,713 ozs. ment of the amount of bullion shipped of crude bullion came in from the mill of during the past week: From the office of

Letter to same from Atlantic City, Lost running on Feb. 5th, continued without at \$174,872.87; from their office in Gold

at the mill near \$5,000 per ton. A 40-stamp mill is to be crected at once.

The Rutland mill is 60 miles southeast of Belmont. It has five stamps of 600 lbs., and three of Wheeler's improved pans. It was to be set in motion on the 10th inst. Roasting furnaces are to be erected as soon as the weather becomes settled; meanwhile the wet crushing will be tried. The ore now on hand is from the Mediterranean, Crescent and Atlantic, and is estimated at an average of \$100 per ton. Some good ore has also been taken from the Mohaska ledge. Washoe.

In the Stock Circular, in another portion of this paper, will be found late mining news from this district. I

From the Territorial Enterprise of April 8th: Everything in the canon below Gold Hill is lively. All the mills are pounding away on full supplies of ore. At this time. the price of reducing ore to within a certain per cent. of the assay is \$15 per ton.

Same of 9th: The new shaft of the Imperial and Empire companies; being worked conjointly, is now 850 ft. deep. New and substantial hoisting works of the most powerful description will be erected, the grading for which will commence in a day or two.

The amount for which Col. Buel's property changed hands, is variously estimated at from \$160,000 to \$300,000 in gold coin.

A body of very rich ore, five feet thick. was struck on Saturday last at the 500-ft. level of the Crown Point mine, in the front ledge. Considerable excitement was created by this new development, which promises

The Bowers and Plato has stopped hoisting ore for a few days, to put in a new reel. and make other improvements. When the works again start they will be able to hoist about 150 tons of ore every 24 hours.

From same of 12th: The new and powerful hoisting works of the Empire and Imperial will be in running order by Aug. 1st.

The eight-inch pump, running at the rate of eight strokes or revolutions per minute. is only able to keep the body of water recently struck in the Crown Point mine at a 500-ft. level, where the late rich strike of

Same of 13th: The following is a state-The Keystone mill, which commenced shipped 4,347 lbs. of assayed bullion, valued

that a considerable portion of it will work on steadily In the Yellow Jacket, a drift west of the 500 ft. level has cut a streak of rich ore. About 200 tons are shipped daily. In the Overman but little work is being

done, except to keep the mine free from

From the Gold Hill News of April 8th: As soon as the ledge is tapped in the Imperial mine we may look for active operations in all mines from the Bullion to the Yellow Jacket. As the great quantity of water with which they have to contend is what has caused them all to suspend operations in the lower levels, within the next four months there will be more known of the permanency of the Comstock ledge than has ever before been developed.

Same of 9th: The Crosus is preparing for a further development of its claim.

We paid a visit to the Crown Point yesterday. We saw a small pile of ore from the 500-ft. level, not the smallest piece of which but showed black sulphuret of silver; and in many specimens native silver was to be seen. Stock in all the claims in Lower Gold Hill has gone up in consequence of the

Same of 10th: We saw this morning a small bar from Mount Blanc ore worked at Rigby's mill. The bar contained \$41.86divided as follows: Gold, \$14.94; silver, \$26.92. The silver is .951 fine.

WASHINGTON.

The Lewiston Journal of March 22d says: We learn by a party just from the Sound, that new discoveries of rich silver quartz were made a few days since on the Skagit river, nearly opposite Port Townsend. The specimens show an abundance of free silver. The party who made the discovery is not anxious to have the facts known, but the news has leaked out, and caused quite a sensation in the towns on the Sound, and parties are daily leaving for the mines.

PURE AIR FOR MINES. - We understand hat the first plunger air machine, where the air is first compressed on cold spring water, before entering the lungs, was erected at the Ophir mine, on the Comstock lodegreatly to the health of the miner and profit of the company-by Capt. Wm. Williams, a practical mining engineer, now of this city, whose card appears in another column. This machine forced into the mine 48,324 cubic feet of air to a six-foot stroke, and is Horse Gulch, says: That new camp—Eagle interruption for 50 days, during which time Hill, 2,539 lbs, valued at \$69,761.61. | so simple in construction as to require only Gulch; is prospecting even better than at it reduced 543 tons of ore, yielding on an From the Trespass of April 9th: The ledge one-half the power of one man to operate it.

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such property? It is a nuisance where it glands and should be removed by the most gaids and should be removed by the most meditions legal means, and no other." When our city authorities find out what is the matter we keep that the wrong, what he matter we keep that the wrong, what he is may be righted "by the most example is may be righted "by the most example." But he was a read no other." Such some prayer, the our sutherities do nothing except by the "most expeditious legal agreement." But there be no irregular proseding against said building. "The days of the "Vigilantes" are past: Its being averlised "to rent" is of course against the averlised "to rent" is of course against the stillding, yet keep cool and proceed and by inding, yet keep cool and proceed only by the "most expeditions legal means."

FROM LONE PINE. We were yesterday shown some very fine specimens of ore from Lone Pine, Inyo County, California. Tho pajority of the specimens are argentiferons dens, but very rich in silver-so rich as to polly destroy the require griens crystal-istion. Among other curious mineral figure. Among other curious mineral premens was a large piece of asbestos, so pure that it could be twisted into strings. This mineral has been tried by the Mexicans lining (mixed with clay) for furnaces. sat it does not seem to answer the intended purpose as well as bone ashes, which is now

Upper the heading of "Pretty Sight" an grening cotemporary says: "What is?" Why, a ship under full sail, or (we'll ship the sailor's second), a train of cars in motion, or next to em-the stages of Wells, Pargo & Co.-three six-horses coachesrolling out of Virginia at 6 o'clock every aroing. They prance forth line. You take motor. We would style the product agther of the above to near his head for a Good havings !

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THE GOLD HILL FAIR, -The Fair in Gold In given by the ladies of Rt. Patrick's Church, is proving to be a most successful reduce. The ball is crowded nightly, and there can be but little doubt that a sum someten to liquidate all the debts standing ginet the church edifice will be realized.
It will continue during the week and will be in a grand ball next Monday night.
Letter people go down and assist their mighters of Gold Hill.

Buck Chook - The attendance at the Gook last night was good, and a high old performance was given. All kinds of funkors, dances, juggling, acts, and farces. Lorestriction upon anybody; lager beer chiling and smoking allowed, and all given the liberty of moving about and singing and doing pretty much as they please, so long is they do not interfere with the enjoyment of others. The bill for to-night is an excel-

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LOXETT HOSE Co. No. 1 .- At the annual the on of officers of Liberty Hose Comprof 80. 1 of Gold Hill, held at their hall Bight before last, the following hamod gon-Mich were chosen as officers for the ensting year: A. A. Putnam, Foreman; S. A. Bolden, First Assistant; S. A. Winterbauer,

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[RPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE ENTERPRISE.]

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HAR FRANCISCO, August 8.

J. H. Allen, Becretary of the Ban Francisco
Benovolent Association, last evening identified
the body of the man who diest suddenly at the
Portsmouth House as that of Henry Terry, formorly a soldier.

Porchmouth House as that of Henry Isrry, formoring a soldier.

The fullowing attachment suits have been commenced against the firm of Wightman & Haruta: In the Fourth District Court, John Parrott & Co. for \$10,000; Jos A. Donahoe and Eugeno Kelly \$12,000; in the Twelfin District Court, L. Burauss & Co. for \$3,000; Lazari Freres for \$5,594; Roducrs, Weyer & Co., \$4,500; Unifelder, Colu & Co., \$5,032; D. A. Watter & Co., \$5,600; Daniel Meyer, \$2,887; J. Kohn, \$21,480; in the Fifteenth District Court, Hyneman & Co. for \$3,495; D. Parcka & Co., \$4,041; B. O. Harding, \$10,000, J. Godchaux & Co., \$6,004; P. F. Loughran & Co., \$2,500; maxing a total of \$180,702.

A seaman on the Rosaca, who was attacked by yellow forcer shortly after the arrival of the wessell here, died yesterday. This is the first case which has developed and terminated fatally here.

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The following persons, resident in this city, tays filed pelifical in lineavery with the United.

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Yesterday officer Lynes gave himself into custody on the charge of manalaughter in shooting the escaping prisoner. Louis Assimels, and was

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| Bowers (1)—Paid this for 5 months only ; has been idle four months; new | L. A. W. Sele |
| own water; (2) 5-foot pans. | tunning Fill |
| Central (1)—To Virginia and Gold Hill Water Companies; also, pays { | |
| Company. | 7 60 (1DE |
| (2)—Hepburn and Peterson's, working 500 tons per month wet; four fu | **** |
| barrels, working 170 tons dry. | That a share |
| Crown Point (1) Just dismantled; engine used to drain mine. | |
| Comet (1) Been idle for seven months; just started again. | |
| Douglas (1)-10-inch eylinder 30-inch stroke, 26 plain pans. | |
| Empire No. 1 (1)—Increasing stamps to 21; capacity to be 40 tons per de | V: to emply |
| 16 men, 27 Wakeleo pans. | |
| Empire No. 2 (1)—Concentrators and two stamps for breaking. | 618.4 |
| Empire State (1) - A foot pans. | |
| Gold Hilt (1)—6-foot tubs | |
| Hoosier State (1) - With steam chambers. | |
| Land's (B) Throughout the table designates Blake's breakers. | |
| Mariposa (1)—Also one prospecting stamp; (2) large. Marysville (1)—30 5-foot plain pans. | 12.200 |
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| Pacific (1)—Large. | 100 |
| Betatuma (1)—Stamps being increased to 16; capacity to 26 tons per day | men to II |
| wood to five cords; adding eight improved Wheeler pans, four settlers and on Piute (1)—8 foot settlers. | agitator. |
| Rhode Island (1)—18-inch cylinder; (2) 7-foot pans. | |
| Rigby's (1)—One extra pan and settler for tailings and one barrel. | 1.14 |
| Rogors's (1)—Not running for four months. | |
| Saphire (1)—Wheeler. | |
| Simcooc (1)—Improved. | |
| Simcoge (1)—Improved. Stevenson (1)—8; inch cylinder; (2) Howland's rotary battery; can crush. | seven tonsand |
| ainalgamate five tons per day; (3) small. | 7612 |
| Succor (1)-24 Wakelee flat-bottomed pans. | |
| Summit (1)—Burnt and rebuilt in 1863; (2) small pan and settler. | 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1. 1 |
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| Birdsall (1) - Mill: \$110,000; ditch, \$40,000; total, \$150,000. | n fickar |
| Garpenter (2)—Large-sized Wheeler. | 100 |
| Dayton No. 1 (1)—Four of these for prospecting; (2) 8-foot settlers; (3) Kr | UX. |

Dayton No. 1 (1)—Four of these for prospecting; (2) 8-foot settlers; (3) Knox.

Dayton No. 2 (1)—Two roasting furnaces.

Eastern Slopa (1)—Large.

Eureka (1)—Break 80 tons per day.

G. C. Reduction Works (1)—5-foot pans.

Imperial Rock Pt. (1)—7-foot tubs and settlers; (2) breaker, large size.

Phomix No. 1 (1)—Eight tubs and Wheeler pans.

Pioneer (1)—15 tubs and Wheeler pans.

Sucramente (1)—12 7-foot iron pans.

Sucramente (1)—6-foot tubs and one prospecting battery and pan.

Trenck (1)—16 flat 7-foot pans, one excelsion and two Wheeler and Randall pans,

Weston's (Steam)—(1)—Worked but about 1,000 tons of Comstock ore this year; hauling bout \$3 per ton. about \$3 per ton.

Weston's (Water)—(1)—Six flat-bottomed pans; has run but little this year for want of water).

ORMSBY COUNTY.

Merrimac (1)—Also, one prospecting battery and pan; (2) large.

Mexican (1)—Four furnaces and 10 barrels.

ivian (1)—Hanscom's.

WASHOE COUNTY.

Manhattan (1)—16 pans.

Ophir (1)—Working but 36 stamps—Freiberg process—nine furnaces.

Reduction Works—24 amalgamating barrels.

Temelec (1)—Large:
"Washoe Valley (1)—Wheeler 12-feet breast; full capacity about 300 horse-power.
Reduction Works—40 stamps used for Freiberg process, and 20 for wet; eight furnaces and 20 barrels for dry process; four Wheeler and Randall's pans for wet; four more Varney pans; to be introduced; (2) Blake's improved saw.

REPORT

OF

J. ROSS BROWNE

ON THE

MINERAL RESOURCES

OF THE

STATES AND TERRITORIES WEST OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS.

PUBLISHED BY H. H. BANCROFT & CO., SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.
1868.

Within the past two years twenty thousand tons of ore, yielding on an average \$17 per ton, have been obtained from this mine, nearly all from the upper levels. The deepest openings are eight hundred and fifty feet below the surface. At this depth the vein is nearly barren, showing only traces of gold and silver.

This mine is situated near Devil's Gate, Silver City, southeast from Gold Hill. It is opened by a shaft and tunnels to the depth of three hundred feet. The vein is well defined and the walls have clay liningso The ore produces on an average \$10 per ton. The bullion assays \$3 50 per ounce in silver, and \$6 50 in gold. The ore is easily reduced, and the mine is worked without difficulty. The vein dips east about 45°. The country rock on the west is granite; on the east it is propolite.

WALLER'S DEFEAT, ST. LOUIS, SUCCOR,

And other mines are on the same vein, and are worked very similarly to the Lucerne, and have the same characteristics and productiveness.

LYON COUNTY.

The natural resources described in my last report as peculiar to this county, have undergone but little change. Some developments have been made, but the results are not particularly marked. Public schools and churches have been prospered, and some improvements are perceptible.

The official returns fix the popular vote, at the last general election, at six hundred and thirteen, being two hundred and eighteen less than the

vote cast two years ago.

The mines in Spring Valley District, three miles west from Dayton, have recently received some attention—several abandoned claims have been relocated, and a mill with ten stamps is being erected.

In Devil's Gate District, ore of a low grade is being extracted from the Hope, Buckeye and other mines. These mines were never developed to a great extent, and will probably produce large quantities of ore.

Owing to the fine water privileges afforded by the Carson River, and the facilities of access to the mines, principally in Storey County, there are a large number of mills in Lyon County.

The Atlanta has ten stamps and six pans. The Birdsall has thirty stamps and forty pans.

The Bacon has twenty stamps and ten pans.

The Carson Valley has twenty stamps and ten pans.

The Daney has twenty stamps and ten pans.

Dayton Reduction has six pans. Devil's Gate has twelve stamps and ten pans. Excelsior has ten stamps and twenty pans.

Eureka has twenty stamps and eight pans. Eagle Mill has two pans and four arastras.

Franklin has ten stamps and four pans.

Illinois has twenty stamps and six pans.

Keystone has five stamps and six pans.

Kelsey has fifteen stamps and six pans.

Pioneer has fifteen stamps and ten pans. Phoenix has fifteen stamps and ten pans.

Rock Point has fifty-six stamps and forty-three pans.

Swansea has twelve stamps and ten pans.

Sacramento has fifteen stamps and eight pans. San Francisco has ten stamps and eight pans.

Sherman has five stamps and four pans.

Tailings Mill has two pans.

Woodworth has twenty-four stamps and twelve pans.

Winter's has two stamps, two pans and two arastras.

Weston has fiften stamps and nine pans.

French has twenty stamps and eighteen pans.

The copper mines, twenty-five miles southeast from Dayton, are not worked. 🗓

SUTRO TUNNEL.

This tunnel was commenced in 1869, and has been prosecuted with commendable energy. It is run westward from the face of the foot-hills north of Dayton, so as to intersect the Comstock ledge at right angles at the depth of two thousand one hundred and seventy-two feet. It has been driven sixteen hundred and fifty feet. A stream, affording about twenty-five inches of water, flows from it. No valuable veins of ore have as yet been found.

.It is proper to state that a large number of the mills are not running,

the supply of ore having ceased.

CHURCHILL COUNTY.

There has been but little progress in the developments of the natural resources of this county within the past two years. The completion of the Central Pacific Railroad withdrew the travel and transportation almost entirely from the Overland Mail Road; consequently business ceased, and many of the stations along that road have been abandoned. The agricultural lands along the Carson River and about the Carson Lake and Sink have produced well.

The popular vote of the county at the late general election was eighty-

seven; sixty-four votes less than were cast in November, 1868.

The soda mine, near Ragtown, has been opened to the depth of twelve or fifteen feet. It is situated in a small basin on the southwestern border of the desert surrounding the sink of the Carson and Humboldt Rivers. There is a pond or small lake near by, perhaps three quarters of a mile in length and from a quarter to half a mile in width, and said to be of great depth.

The water collects in the soda basin during the rainy season, and afterward gradually evaporates, leaving the soda beautifully crystalized over a space of from one to two acres in extent. From the developments recently made, it seems that this deposit has an unknown depth, and consists

35 horsepower steam engine using 3 1/2 cords of wood per day; it had 14 pans in the amalgamating department, a capacity of 8 1/2 tons a day, and 8 employees (Bancroft, 1862, map; GHN, 1865, June 27, 3:2; Kelly, 1862, 72; SMR, 1866, 148).

Sunderland Mill: In the early 1870s this 10-stamp mill had a capacity of 15 tons a day and was milling ore from the Belcher Mine. It was located on the east side of Main Street in Gold Hill immediately south of the Crown Point Mine. According to Myron Angel, in 1875 it was owned by the Union Mill & Mining Co., of which William Sharon was president (Angel, 1881, 594; Sanborn-Perris Map Co., 1877, sh. 11; SMR, 1871-72, 138).

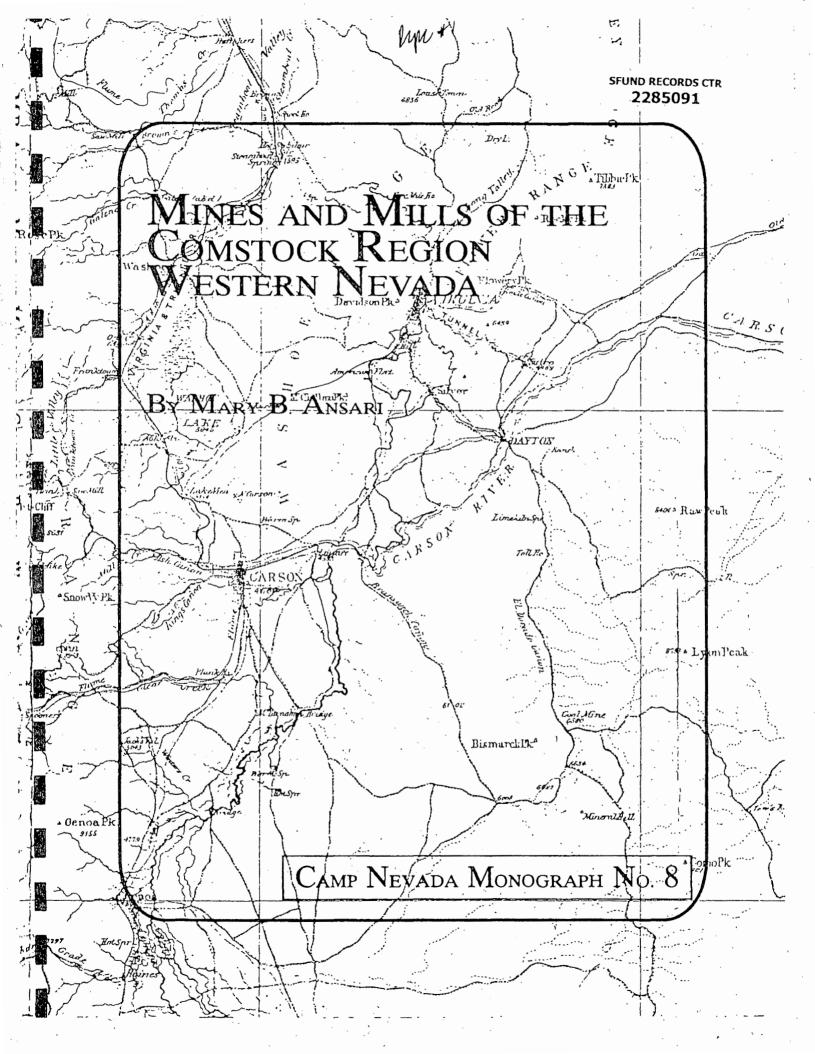
Granite Mill: In 1863 the Gold Hill News wrote that this was the only mill in Nevada Territory built of granite and considered to be fireproof. It was erected in 1861 in Gold Hill. In 1862 Kelly's directory reported that its main building measured 43 x 86 feet and that it possessed 20 stamps which could crush 25 tons per day. In 1865 the Gold Hill News described it as having a 45 horsepower steam engine using 4 1/2 cords of wood per day, 16 stamps, 8 Wheeler pans, a 28-ton-per-day capacity, and 10 employees. In 1867 it was refurbished, and in 1870 its machinery was moved to White Pine County, Nevada (GHN, 1863, Dec. 17, 3:1; 1865, June 27, 3:2; Kelly, 1862, 172; SCR, Locations, 1863, v.A, 171, sketch map; TE, 1867, Jan. 12, 3:1; 1870, Feb. 19, 3:2).

Comet Mill: West Gold Hill reduction facility reported in 1865 to have a 45 horsepower steam engine using 5 cords of wood per day, 16 stamps, 32 Brevoort pans, a 20-ton-per-day capacity, and 11 employees. The 1866 State Mineralogist's Report listed the same number of stamps and capacity. The mill was dismantled in 1868 (GHN, 1865, June 27, 3:2; SMR, 1866, 148; TE, 1868, Oct. 7, 3:1).

Gold Hill Mill: The Gold Hill Mining Co. built this mill in Gold Hill in 1861. Its main building measured about 35 x 74 feet. In 1865 it was reported to be a 14-stamp mill with a 36 horsepower engine using 3 cords of wood a day, 24 amalgamators, an 18-ton-a-day capacity, and 13 employees. In the early 1870s it had only 8 stamps and was reported to be inactive because of lack of wood. It was dismantled in 1875 (Bancroft, 1862, map; GHN, 1865, June 27, 3:2; Kelly, 1862, 171; SMR, 1871-72, 138; TE, 1875, Apr. 9, 3:1).

Coover & Stevenson Mill: This mill had the distinction of being one of the first steam mills to be erected on the Comstock. It was located on Main Street in lower Gold Hill and was reported to have started operations in August 1860. Some accounts list it as being the first steam mill on the Comstock, but it appears to have opened on the same day as Almarin B. Paul's Pioneer Mill near Devils Gate in the Silver City District. Originally the facility was known as the Coover & Harris Mill for its proprietors, Charles S. Coover and Dr. E.B. Harris. At that time it processed ore from the Bowers and Plato mines and had 8 stamps with a capacity of 6 tons per day. Later the mill was sold to C.C. Stevenson. In 1865 the Gold Hill News wrote that it was located below the Gold Hill Mill and had a 12 horsepower engine using 2 1/4 cords of wood per day, 8 stamps, 12 pans, a capacity of 6 tons per day, and 6 employees. In 1866 its capacity was reported to have increased to 10 tons per day. When the facility stood in the way of widening Main Street, it was torn down, and the machinery was moved to eastern Nevada. It was sometimes referred to as the Pioneer Mill (Angel, 1881, 68; Bancroft, 1862, map; Comstock Paper No. 15, M & SP, 1877, v. 34, Feb. 3, 73; GHN, 1865, June 27, 3:2; Kelly, 1862, 170; SMR, 1866, 148).

Overman Mill: The sheet-metal exterior of this 500-ton-a-day cyanide plant, which operated in the late 1930s and early 1940s, stands on the east side of what was in the early 1980s the Houston International Minerals Corp.'s access road between Gold Hill and American Flat. The mill was built and operated by the Consolidated Chollar, Gould & Savage Mining Co. (Stoddard, 1950, 38-39).



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